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IMPERIAL TRADE.

COMPETITION FROM AMERICA:

DEBATE IN THE COMMONS.

of foreign enterprise, notably American, which was

Sir P. Lloyd-Greame replied sympathetically

and pointed out that the deficit in exports still

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KRUPP "MARTYRS."

CHANCELLOR'S FUNERAL ORATION.

BERLIN, April 10. The Reichstag was packed to hear Chancellor Cuno's funeral oration on the victims of the in- urging the Government to enforce a policy of imcident at Krupps. Flags were half-masted and the perial trade development without waiting for the hall was draped in black. All members of Cabinet, Imperial Conference in October. Viscount Ednam officials and representatives of trade unions were stressed the necessity for prompt action on account-

present. Eulogising the "martyrs," the Chancellor said already determinedly and successfully capturing that their deaths had united all parties in Germany Canadian trade. American capital was finding a more than ever. He referred to the long file of those martyred, tortured, insulted and deported,

suffering in disgraceful prisons. He said that not a hair of a French soldier had amounted to twenty per cent necessitating a quest been hurt but fifty German workmen fell in their of new courses. He said we were going to develop own blood. Machine guns could never break an Canada and new offices were shortly being opened entire people and he asked the nations of the world in Vancouver while India would also be developed. how long they would wait before a halt was called The minister was not afraid of American developof this mad misuse of power. He referred to the ment which, he opined, would be hampered by a failure to accept their offer of negotiations and said high tariff, also the necessity of receiving debt reno arrangement could be accepted which infringed payments. He stated that the Colonial Office, had territorially the Ruhr and the Rhine. So long as prepared schemes for developing the Crown their opponents were not ready for such an arrange- Colonies. The Imperial Conference would consider ment passive resistance by the entire people must the questions raised, including the extension of be continued.

BRITISH TRADE WITH GERMANY.

QUESTIONS IN THE COMMONS.

LONDON, April 10. In the House of Commons, replying to questions

Sir P. Lloyd-Greame said that exportations from occupied Germany during the past few months were very small. The French and Belgians had made considerable concessions to faciliate exports but the Germans were refusing to permit their nationals to take advantage thereof. The British Government had brought the position to the notice of the German

Mr. Stanley Baldwin said the question of the disposal of the money collected by the French customs in the Ruhr on British goods had not yet been settled. The Government was carefully considering the matter,

AUSTRALIA AND AMERICA.

CANADA'S EXAMPLE IGNORED.

- MELÉOURNE, April 10. The Premier, Mr. Bruce, announces that he does not intend to appoint a Minister to Washington, preferring that diplomatic representations should be made through Britain but he is shortly appointing a trade commissioner in New York.

MAILS FROM HOME.

SPEEDING UP P. & O. SERVICE.

LONDON, April 10. The Post Office has informed the Chairman the Far Eastern section of the Manchester Chambe Commerce that no effort is being spared to accelerate the P. and Q. service to the Far East.

MEMEL TROUBLE

GERMAN LEADERS DEPORTED.

KOVNO, April, 10. League, including the President and Secretary and missions presented reports which will be formally Editor of the Memel Rundschau, have been deported discussed at a plenary session on April, 7. The

MR. BONAR LAW.

RESTING HIS THROAT.

LONDON, April 10. Mr. Bonar Law under his doctors orders is not participating in debates at present in order to rest his throat.

MINISTER TO LONDON.

LONDON, April 10. The death has occurred of Mr. J. P. Crommelin. BERLIN, April 10,

CAPTURE OF HUGO STINNES.

MAGNATE AND HIS WIFE RELEASED.

It transpires that railway guards entered, the sleeping car occupied by Herr Hugo Stinnes and is wife whom they locked up in a luggage van, Later they released both



[Stinnes is the wealthiest and most influential man in Germany. In 1897 his father, a mine-owner, left him a fortune of nine million gold marks (£450,000). His own fortune just before the war is said to have been about 40 millions of gold marks. His fortune at the present day is estimated at more than a thousand millions of paper marks. In the war Stinnes was the chief contractor for war material especially iron and steel.] ·

OTHER ARRESTS MADE.

BERLIN, April II. The French at Scharnhorst also temporarily arrested and detained Herr Hamm, under-secretary, who was going to Essen to attend the funeral of the Krupp workers on behalf of the Government. The ex-Minister of Posts, Herr Giesberts, and the ex-Prussian Premier Herr Stegerwald. They have all since been released the first named being conducted to the boundary of the occupied territory.

AMERICAN NATIONS.

FORMING A LEAGUE

SANTIAGO DE CHILB, April 10. While no plenary meeting of the Pan-American The leaders of the German Lithuanian Home conference was held yesterday, nearly all the comto Germany. Local members have been arrested. most important reports dealt with the reorganisation of the Pan-American Union and the question of permanent American court of international justice whose creation was proposed by the Costa Rican

delegate. The President of the Conference who is the Chilean Agustin Edwards expressed optimism as regards the idea of a League of American nations, considering it would be greatly facilitated by the prodominance of two languages in America.

CANADA'S POSITION. At Toronto, Lord Robert Cecil, discussing the Fisheries Treaty between the United States and Canada agreed that Canada and the other dominions should be consulted as regards treaties between the King of England and other powers. Lord Robert Cecil ordined that there was nothing serious in the suggestion that the Pan-American union which Canada was invited to join would develop into a the Liberian minister to London, who is a Dutch- league of American nations with a corresponding league for the castern hemirphere.

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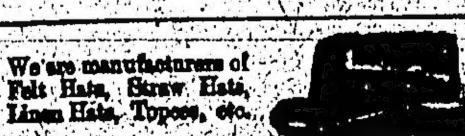
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SHADOWS BEFORE

COMING EVENTS

ENTERTAINMENT'S.

April 11.-Coronet Theatre, Max Linder in "The Three Must Get Theres." World Theatre; Pris. scilla Dean in "Under Two Flags." Star Theatre; Robert Warwick in "An Adventure in Hearts." April 13.-Boy Scouts' Jamboree,

City Hall. April 14.—Boy Scouts' Jamboree,

City Hall. April 17.-City Hall, Chamber of Commerce Room, Concert given by Miss May Murkle and her assist-

ants, 5.30 p.m.

April 17 .- Musicale at the Helena May Institute, at 5.30 p.m. May 7.—Concert at Government House in aid of welfare work, 9.15

SPORTING EVENT.

April 14.—Football, Hongkong, League, Club Ground, Happy Valley, Division II, kick off 3.15 p.m. Division, I kick off 4.45 p.m. April 21.-21st annual athletic meeting of V.R.C. at Hongkong Football Club Grounds, commencing at noon

PUBLIC AUCTION.

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COMPANY MEETINGS.

April 21,-Thirty-fourth, ordinary general meeting of the Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd. at the Co.'s offices, St. George's Building, at 11.30 n.m.,

April 12.-First annual meeting of Peak Resident's Association at the Peak Club, 5.45 p.m.

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Red Hair. resthetics. There were probably tually emerge. never prettier girls, or kittens, or Morgue to disappear. roses than there are at present do not believe that there ever were there eyer were greater fools than those we have with us - Krom A George Saintsbury.

bably the dancers would not enjoy, only too glad that the bodies of without a recognised position or thomselves a bit the less if they unknown victims of crime or nor pay,

were told that the Danube isn't cident-whose number has for blue at all (observes the Daily some time been too great Chronicle.) At any rate, it's certain for their disposition at the they would go on calling it blue, be Morgue—will henceforth be taken cause blue is the colour of romance, to a temporary resting-place and yellow the colour of the banana. And yet that lovely blue Medico-Legal Institute, which has Danube which seems to appeal so been established on the Quai de la much to our imagination is really Rapée, near the Gare de Lyon. yellow, trimmed with green or Here, in contrast to the poor accomgrey, according to the seasons. At modation at the Morgue, relatives least, so say the Danube experts. At will be able to wait when they one point in the upper river come to identify their dead in conwhile fragments of bones, pieces some distance without mingling tion, the new institute, with its their waters. From the steamer deck laboratories, will be of consideramay be seen on the left the Ilz, ble value to doctors, lawyers, and almost black; on the right the Inn- those engaged in the investigation

authority. That is true in summer be utilised as an extension of the time; but at this season, when enclosure around Notre Dame, so swollen with glacier water and that grass plots and flowers may melted snow, the Danube is brighten this picturesque corner of Alas, for the Blue Danube!

Quite a novelty in the way of the changes of the years. The crime. Other similar farming is the butterfly farm. And young girl in 1823 had her hair unaccountable explosions, with a very paying business it is, too, done in strange and fantastic Salvador is charged with these, but entomology is necessary to carry tion her head was decked with is silent. He was arrested in con- out the work successfully. There feathers—with flowers—with heavy sequence of his attempt to cash a is a great demand for butterflies of plaits—with curls—with ribbons. bond which belonged to one of the all sorts by collectors, scientists, Her dress was high to the throat. the makers of the beautiful but- Her sleeves high to her cars. Her terfly's wing jewellery etc. As waist was pinched and tortured. much as £5 and £7 is paid for some She was weighed down with thick With apologies to any male of the rarer specimens. Butterfly and starched petticoats (sals a friends of mine (I cannot remem- farming requires very little space ber many) who may have been and scarcely any capital to start The young girl of 1923 wears her. entitled to the name of Rufus, Iam with. An old shed, attic, or spare bound to say that Ineverknew any room can be utilised, provided it man who would not have looked is free from draughts and has better with hair of any other colour. a fairly warm temperature. Empty On the other hand, red hair in girls jars or wide-mouthed bottles, and loose, waist-line. Miss. 1823 lived and women is often-I think much even boxes and barrels, can be continuously under her mother's more often than not perfectly used for the breeding compart eyes. She did embroidery and charming. Brick-dust red, with no ments, whilst most of the stock gloss, is ugly enough, no doubt; can be caught outside, except, and knitted. Her only sport but then all hair except a of course, the rarer varieties, was a walk taken with the members very peculiar kind of black re- which have to be purchased of her family. Miss 1923 is not, quires gloss. Every other shade, The successful farmer knows generally speaking, fond of from the lightest nasturtium to the exacty how to feed each variety, needlework, in fact, does not darkest auburn chestnut, can be Some butterflies produce their eggs care for sitting still—it bores her in boxes or bags, others require no She wants to be "on the go" all long before it, I think, the Greeks. food whilst laying their eggs, and "The Romans, Mr. Feeder," did so forth. The larve hatched from not like red hair, but the Romans the eggs have to be fed on certain were people of very doubtful taste leaves until they turn into pupes, in many, if not most, points of from which the butterflies even-

braver men than those who fought appearance of the Morgue, that the reach of everyone." You willat Y pres and Zeebringge; and (rash grim feature of the sights of more often than not find her in as this may seem) I doubt whether Paris" which for sixty years past the fresh air, with a racquet or a there ever were greater fools than has attracted the morbid or merely golf stick. It has taken 100 years curjous visitor to the little building of evolution to accomplish such Scrap Book, by Emeritus-Prof under the shadow of Notre Dame, decided changes, and they are all Of recent years such idle curiosity for the better. To-day young girls has been restricted, and certain are given a chance in life like their formalities have had to be fulfilled brothers—no longer are they re-They're playing the Blue before admission could be secured. quired to stay at home and more Danube come on, And pro The Pullsian proud of his city, is doing nothing, or doing for others

green; and in the centre the yel- and detection of crime. Lectures will-be given to students of medi-The schoene blane Danube is not cal jurisprudence, and a crime museum will be available. When But glitters with a yellow- the site of the Morgue has been cleared it has been proposed that old Paris.

manner. On the slightest provocahair flat or curled and bobbed Her throat and arms are free of cumbersome covering. She wears needlework. She made preserves, the time. You don't find her like the heroine for a former age, warbling a romance at the piano. She says and yery rightly "the gramophone does it much better than I," or she argues very rightly again There are excellent con-Next month will see the dis- certs to-day within the purse and

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the undersigned John D. HUMPHREYS & SON, Alexandra Building, Des Vœux Road Central, hereby give notice that we have This Day authorised Mr. John DAVID HUMPHREYS to sign our firm name per procuration. .

Dated this 4th day of April, 1923. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON.

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SATURDAY, 14th APRIL, 1923.

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Cucumbers,-Ching Kwa. ... each Garlio,-Sun Tau ... Ib. Gloger young.—Bun The Kewag .. Ginger, old,-Lo Kenng Horsersdish, Shanghal,-Ide Ran, Indian Corn, Shuk Mal Letbuce,-Young Shape Tool ... Ib. Water Chestonis, -Ms Tal ... Ib. 8 Mandarin, -Kwal Lam Ha Tal ... 12 Mushrooms, Fresh, -Shang Teo Ku lb. Onlone, Bombay, -Young Chung Tau lb. 10 Oulone, Green, Shang Chung th. Onlone, Shanghal, Sheang-hol' Pareley,-Kan Teel Potato, Sweet,-Fan Shu pe Japanens,-Yab Pun Shu Teal Ib.

American,-Wa Ki Shu Tml Ib. Pumpkin, Tung Kwa Redish,-Hang Lo Pak Test

Shallobs - Kong Chong Tan Turnips, Panil, (Long), -Le Pak ...

Poultry. 4. June 1913.

Eggs, Hen,-Kai Tan (fresh) ... per dos. 30 Fowls, Canton,-Kal Ib. 60 Fowls, Hainan,-Hol Nam Kat .. 40 Pigeons, Canton,-Pak Kap...each 35 Helhow .- Hol Han Pak Kap

Fruits.

Almonds,-Hang Yan 1b. 65

Peanute,-Fa Shang in the 12

Persimmons, Large,-Hung Too ,, ...

Apples, (California),-Kam Shan Plog Bo n 20 Bananas, (bride's), Macao, -Ban Casambola,-Young To ... Coccanuts, -Ye Tee en each 10 Lemons, China,-Ling Mung... 1b. 14 Lemons, (America), - Kam Shan Ling Mung ... each

Plantain,-Tai Chiu Pamelo, Siam, Trim Lo Taucach 18 Walnuta,-Hop To ... 1b. 15

Beans, Sprout,-Nga Tso... b 3 .. : Long .- Tau Kok ... Beet Root,-Hung Tool Tan ... 2 each Bitter Squah,-- Fu Hwa .- .- .-Brinjale, Green,-Ching Yun Kwa "

Cane Shoets, bunch, -Kan Shun Caulific wor (Large), -Ye Twoi Fa each 20 (Medium), " (Small), Carro's,--Kam Shun-Celery Chinese,-Tong Kan Teci ,

Lichees, Dried, (small stone),-Lai Ohl Kon ib. Oranges, '(Oanton), Sweet-Shan-sheng Tim Chang Ib. 15 Oranges, Tim Chang 24 Pears, (Cauton), Cuoking, Sha H , 14

Grapes,-Po Tai Tan Vegetables, &c.

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SCARBOROUGH. On April 5, and Mrs. T. W. Scarborough, a son (Peter). GOLDING. On Friday, April 6, believed all strikes were a complete

MARRIAGE.

WOODS-TAYLOR.-On April 6, 1923, at Shanghai, Rev. New Jersey, U.S.A.

HONOKONO, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 1923.

LABOUR TROUBLES.

Encountering labour trouble almost every day, Hongkong will have read with more than passing interest certain very relevant remarks made by the Home Labour leader, Mr. Thomas, and cabled here yesterday. Addressing a meeting of railwaymen in London, Mr. Thomas warmly rebuked the extremists and condemned those unions which had refused arbitration. A strike, he added, must be the last, not the first resort. How much needless rancour and actual loss would be saved could but these words become the guiding impulse among. labour unions everywhere. Hongworking days-more than 235,000 sions to study the whole question imports. of establishing arbitration years! However, the right to machinery, for it is little use strike has now so long been re- beseeching the guilds to make the cognised that nobody to-day at- strike the last resort unless every possible means of effecting settletempts to contest its legitmacy. This does not, of course, apply to strikes which endanger public security. When the community's Serves the Whole Family. vital interests are attacked, public opinion speedily manifests itself and often finds expression in the crosp and whooping cough of the the general strike always fails, and Storekeepers.

sult would spell ruin for the country. Giving evidence before 1923, at Shanghai, to Mr. la Royal Commission in 1867, one thoughtful union leader said he loon Theatre. - Advt. 1923, at Shanghai, to Mr. and waste of money, not only to the independent leaders like Thomas who have warned the unions against precipitating Henry M. Woods, D.D., of strikes, but too often the extremists Soochow, China, to Mrs. Grace | have carried the day, with the re-W. Taylor, of Atlantic City, sult that a single coal strike has cost a nation (America) nearly £300,000,000. Beside the staggering. Hongkong Hotel Company. losses the Homeland and the United States have suffered through trade disputes; Hongkong's little bill pales into insignificance. But that does not mean, however, that our loss is not heavy enough. Who can assess the cost of the seamen's strike? Only last week the public learned (from the Importers and Exporters' trade with the United States and agents for the vessel. Cuba. And that is only one item. Deploring these costly disputes, which ultimately tax the whole community, every thoughtful person must yet recognise that change ing conditions make differences, almost certain. These differences however, need not end in open rupture if the guilds will heed Mr. Thomas's advice and regard the strike as the last, not the first resort. Mostly Hongkong's labour disputes could be settled quickly

> ment first is provided. Too fame of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is world wide. It is good for

CORRESPONDENCE.

HONGKONG'S VOLUNTEERS.

To the Editor of the " China Mail."

a member of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corns, like to commandant, or a regular officer as part time commandant. Also we the non-commissioned officers.

which ought to exist.

pelled to pay for the mess she made poscuse, or she flirtatiously fishes of Europe, then shout not at for compliments with the skittish-France, but at the Versailles Treaty ness of an adipose elephant, or she which we ourselves signed, and sits sad-eyed and anxious like a cat which includes the payment of whose kittens are being taken out indemnities. But do not blame the to be drowned, so that I get the only nation with the courage to impression that either the fish is enforce what we undertook solemnly bad, or her provision merchant has to enforce.

that is another matter. Do you "go" I think up some bright thing contend that with a negligible in- to say, and in the middle of it she come-tax she is, at any rate, making interrupts to express an entirely an attempt? To forgive is easy, unfounded fear that I am not getbut the community does not forget ting enough to eat. No more the criminal until he has expiated dinner parties for me. I have said his crime, and that Germany has it before, but this time I mean it. not done.—Yours, etc.,

LOCAL-AND GENERAL.

Obviously if it did not the re- to-morrow.

last dance of the season is being phylloxerizing the vines, and: the

then there have always been a few and Godown Co., Ltd., has reported and am led from the room by the to the police that cargo valued at oldest and kindest lady present. It \$4,800 has been stolen from Godown No. 3, Kowloon.

> -Recently, reports the Canton Daily News, the Mitsui Bussan Kaisha acquired the B. A. T. building on Shameen, which had previously been purchased by the

A mendicant attempted to strangle himself with his girdle, was found lying thoughts I will not. Strong langu-Pokfulum yesterday. He since been removed to the hospital.

Six tarpaulins and twenty yards of white canvas, valued at \$500 were stolen from the poopdeck of the s.s. "Rhodesia" bemeeting) that this expensive tween 3 and 5 a.m. yesterday. dispute had lost the Colony its rice Messrs John Manners and Co. are

> Mr. H. K. Peters, of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co., at Shanghai, left for Tsingtao at business with a short holiday. Un- day when Fook On, a contractor, fortunately while there he con- was summoned at the Police Court tracted a fever and has since been for not taking down the front walls laid up, but it is reported that he is of Nos. 57, 59 and 61, Belcher erally very satisfactory. making favourable progress and Street. will return to Shanghai this week.

Mr. H. C. Anderson, U. S. Treasury Attaché, who arrived in Shanghai last week from States, after spending two weeks and amicably, given outside media- in Japan will remain in China tion whose decisions both sides about six months, visiting Peking, konghas not forgotten the seamen's would respect. Obviously the solu- Hongkong, and Canton before restrike, just over this time last year. tion is arbitration. Since the whole turning to America. Mr. Ander-during a fire last year. The plans community suffers, sooner or son was recently appointed to indisputes lost the country 86,000,000 point one of those useful commis- American tariff laws to Chinese

> doubt, was made yesterday to the ly deviated from the plans. effect that a matshed at Shamsulpo The P.W.D. also asked, that an ment notified the Association that to be paid the expenses incidental recently been appointed by Dr. was entered at 9.45 p.m., on Mon- order be made for the party walls they were prepared to appoint a to the publication of this report and Sun as an adviser to the Generalisment of the Post Carde printed in copyed sinio's Headquarters. He returned day by two men who declared that to come down and be rebuilt with representative of the Peak Rosi the Post Cards printed in connectheir purpose was to search for the front walls. If built separately dents Association to be a member tion with the opening of the Peak opium. A number of boxes are there would be no bonding of the Education Board; stated to have been opened and between the walls.
>
> Mr. Airey kindly consented to fill The year closed with a member property to the value of \$19.20 His Worship imposed a fine of this position which was approved of ship of 258, but as some of these stolen. On remonstrating with the \$150. Regarding the party-wall of by the Government for a period of members have left the Colony and robbers the man who lived in the Nos, 59 and 61, he ordered such two years.

OF DINNER PARTIES.

[TOM WRIGHT STURF,]

If it were not for traditions coming to me from dinner parties that Sir,-Having read the letters in I do not attend, I would be at a lose your paper yesterd 1y, I should, as to know why some people do not prefer the same privacy for their evening eatage that they do for their say that what we want is a regular breakfast. They used to charge extra in the menageries to see the ing states:animals feeding, and now I feel that adjutant and other officers should I would rather pay extra for my be cleared out if they don't look after their pidgin. A popular idea that if there be a lot of talk and dealing with the subject matter will officer is going to popularise the laughter at the dinner table they be found in the appendices to this volunteers, and the same applies to will eat more, slowly and digest their food all the better for that? The trouble with the Volunteers One authority tells me that at the at the moment is that too ideal dinner party there should be much maskee spirit exists among "a conversational constellation of the unavoidable delay in holding the the officers and there is not that stars of the first magnitude separatesprit de corps and camaraderie ed by lesser lights. From these which ought to exist.

fixed orbs should radiate flashes of bring the working, and are included to bring the work of the Association Commandant Major Morgan who laughter of the connecting circle up to date.

my dinner parties do, all would be wreck and ruination in two shakes. There is usually a comet of a man Sir,-This railing at France his din, and I miss my second helpappears to me only that of the ing of the salad. As for the sunny rather cowardly boy who objects to hostess-wow! Either the poor just punishment lest he himself wretch to please her prig of a husshould merit it later. If you hold band ceases to be her healthy that Germany should not be com- natural self and talks like a tedious been dunning her for money. To the work is being hurried forward As to Germany's inability to pay, help make her confounded dinner

As you have rather intelligently guessed, I am in a bad temper. So would even Job be, and I learn on enquiry that He had no dinner jacket. In Hongkong the wine or the beer or the whisky saved the situation sometimes, and made even The Peak Residents' Associa- the barbarians and the misfits tion holds its-first annual meeting almost appear to be nearly human; but here, well, you have heard of the awful thing that has happened. The Kowloon Cricket Club's A bug called Prohibition held on Friday night in the Kow- teeth of the little foxes are set on edge. For they still try to dine in

"Grape juice or near Mrs. C. B. V. Golding, a son. ... men, but to the employers. Since Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf into loud and uncontrollable sobs, might be so jolly, too, for these people are not so "set" on dinner jackets as you were. I once very nearly said of a certain Hongkong. man that if he happened to die in the evening he would want to go to hell in his dinner jacket. I wish had said it now, for on reflection perceive the absolute truth and justice of it. It isn't as if he ever looked well in it. He didn't.

I was going to tell you about last night's dinner party, but on second age in the China Mailsmight needlessly hurt the feelings of the Rev. Mr. Iforgetisname.

KENNEDY TOWN FIRE

POLICE COURT SEQUEL:

CONTRACTOR FINED \$150.

Easter for a trip combining Kennedy Town last year came to few weeks of its inauguration.

entered a plea of guilty and ex- lished on this question will be of plained that the comission was due to misunderstanding between architect and contractor. In reply to his Worship (Mr.

R. E. Lindsell), a P.W.D. official stated that the houses had been badly damaged by an explosion ments to the contractor.

seemed as if an attempt had been Government does not consider it made by the contractor to cheat the necessary for the present anyhow. The financial year closed with A report, which the police owner or the owner had deliberate- to open up a Post Office at the Peak. | credit balance of \$115.13. Out of

PEAK AFFAIRS.

RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

WORK OF THE YEAR.

The report of the general committee to be presented at the first annual meeting of the Peak Residente' Association to-morrow even-

The following precis will summarino the work for the year, and

Although this report should rightly only cover the period up to the 31st December last, owing to. first annual meeting, some of the matters referred to come under this

knew every man in the Corps. How many company officers know all the men in their respective companies?

Yours, etc.,

OLD SWEAT.

Hongkong. April 10.

Hongkong. April 10.

Should follow as punctually as the generous gift of Mr. J. E. Joseph, the serious situation which faced residents of the Peak by the table in their courses, like orderly planets". Well, I suppose I have the carried on until such time town offices with the exception of the Planets was averted, and this institution will at least be carried on until such time town offices with the exception of the Planets was averted. The institution will at least be carried on until such time town offices with the exception of the plaintiff, knew all about the matter.

The Government appointed a Committee of eight to run the hosthere who provokes me to homicidal Pital and Mr. Grayburn, as Chairthoughts, makes my head ache with by the Government to join the COMPLAINTS R Board. The other members of the Board are Dr. Johnson (Chairman) Dr. Marriott, Dr. Aubrey, Dr. Allen, Miss Johnson (Matron of the Mr. Murdoch regarding public think that it is sufficient. Hospital), Hon. Mr. H. W. Bird and Mr. Blair (Secretary).

Considerable repairs have been carried out by the Government, a hot water system installed and the

PEAK MOTOR ROAD.—Although the motor road to Victoria Gap is as much as possible. Cars can now on obtaining permission from the Police proceed as far as Stewart Terrace. Steps are also being taken immediately to surface the road for heavy lorry traffic which will enable building and heavy materials to be brought up by the new road.

PATROLLING OF HILL DISTRICTS BY SPECIAL CONSTABLES.-In view of the strike last year, the Association informed the Government that they regarded the provision of adequate patrolling in the event of fur- "Essential Services", Scheme. ther trouble of great importance, and the Colonial Secretary's reply in this connection is self explana-

FLUSH WATER CLOSETS .- These have been installed in many residences on the Peak, but no further applications will be considered by the Government until the water of the Tramway Company came to contents. The assistant compradore of the beer?" says the butler, and I break supply of the Colony becomes nor- the conclusion that the necessity for the Court said that the words of the Clonk more has not been been been perfectly clear. The

Members are reminded that the Government insist on tinsh closets being installed throughout the bonse including servants' quarters and that the excess water rate will be raised from \$0.75 to \$1 per unit.

CHILDREN'S PLAY-GROUNDS PEAK. -- After considerable delay the Public Works Department are now view the Public Works Department proceeding with the formation of are preparing a key plan to include that they may settle the matter two play grounds-one adjacent to the Peak School on Aberdeen Road the other in Plantation Road near R.B.L. No. 2.

ROAD FROM WONG NEI OH NO TO REPULSE BAY .- At the request of Mr. Denison, the Association approached the Government regarding the completion of the partly completed road from Wanchai Gap to Repulse Bay.

The southern portion of this road is now in course of completion. PEAK TELEPHONE EXCHANGE .-

The Association supported a complaint lodged by Mr. R. Sutherland with the China and Japan Telephone Company regarding the inefficient working of the Peak Tele-A sequel to the disastrous fire at | phone Exchange during the first

> Since that date however the telephone service on the Peak has greatly improved and is now gen-USB OF MANURE IN PEAK GAR-

Mr. A. el Arculli defended. He DENS.-The correspondence considerable interest to Peak residenta and members are fequested to carefully comply with the conditions laid down by the Medical Officer of Health for the storage and use of cattle manure in their gardens. POST OFFICE FOR THE PRAK.-It

His Worship remarked that it public got used to it, but the

drastic action. This explains why children. The same o the serves the matched with his family was stabbell demolition as may be required to Server Ladies Sub Committee drew up a The wives of members who have yes.

list of average wages for the benefit of new-comers, it being considered unfeasible to draw up a standard wage for all to comply with :--

Per Month. No. 1 Boy \$18 to \$25 No. 2 Boy \$10 to \$15-Cook \$17 to \$20 House Coolie \$12 to \$15 Market Coolie \$ 8 to \$10 No. 1 Amah \$20 to \$25 Wash Amah \$14 to \$16 Gardeners \$11 to \$14 Chair Coolies \$12 to \$13

PEAK HOTEL STORE.-Has now been opened by the Dairy Farm in \$125 argount due for goods sold conjunction with Mesars. Lone, rawford, Ltd. and the Cafe Wisemen, the hours of business being from 8 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from p.m. to 4 p.m. on week days and from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m., on Sundays

The opening of this store has been made possible by the kind assistance and help rendered by the Hon. Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher, who has granted a special permit to the Dairy Farm and Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Ltd. to run one motor lorry each a day

ice, which is charged for at the rate | matter,

ON THE PEAK .- The Association laid of J. T. Shaw. The letter of debefore the Captain Superintendent mand has not been put in; and on! of Police some complaints lodged by the evidence before me I. do not

ricehas on the Peak. As will be seen from Captain Wolfe's reply, general charges are of little assistance and any com- goodwill without zequiring the plaints regarding public convey-Hospital is now in good running ances should be immediately reported to the Officer in Charge, Gough Hill Police Station, giving the num before the Judicature Act, 1873, an ber of the vehicle and particulars of

what occurred. PEAK TRAMWAY Co., LTD .- The Association addressed a letter to:the General Managers of the Peak Tromway Co., Ltd. as to what provisions were being made to cope with a future strike, and though Mesers, John D. Humphreys & Son were willing to co-operate with the prepared to assist in running the statute. Tramway in case of emergency, this

Association understand that provi- is construed by the Courts is sion is being made by the Govern- furnished by the recent case of . ment to meet this need in their Hockley v. Goldstein (1920). The

ed the Peak Tramway Company notice of the assignment, but they with a view to obtaining a clock took the agreement of the assignroom for ladies, but after careful ment and read it aloud to him consideration the General Managers twice so that he understood its pose to take any further steps in

this matter at the moment. RENUMBERING THE PEAK .- The Association understands that the Government intend to renumber the houses on the Peak as soon as possible, and that with this end in new houses and contemplated sites. When this plan is ready a representative of the Public Works Department, the Assessor's Office, the the defence. Police and the Peak Residents' Association will work together and

draw up final plans. ANNUAL DONATION TO PEAK TRAM-WAY STAFF .- The work of making a collection on behalf of the staff of the Peak Tramway Co. was undertaken by the Association owing to the absence of Mr. George Hastings

from the Colony, The correspondence on this sub-

ject is self explanatory. TION.—A letter was received from the Constitutional Reform Association of Hongkong asking if this beginning on April 18 and will Association would be willing to cooperate in the matter of a public Second Mrs. Tanqueray." meeting to be held to discuss the Ambrose Applejohn's Adventure' Housing Question.

The Association replied that the objects for which the public meeting was to be held is outside the province of the Peak Residents' Association and consequently this Association were unable to cooperate in this matter.

TION .- A copy of the report of the Voeux Road Central, the four General Committee of the Kowloon houses between the Hongkong Residents Association for the year Hotel and "Wiseman's site" is Nor has the Homeland yet forgotten the year before when trade
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later, fully endorsed by this Association. mately \$67.50 per square foot. HON_TREASURER'S REPORT.

> EDUCATION BOARD.—The Govern- this balance however will have der of the Yunnam troops, has Hotel Store

> > others are away or leaving on home

BOOK DEBTS.

CLAIM AGAINST MR B. PASCO.

AN INTERESTING DECISION.

Mr. Justice Gompertz in the Summary Court this morning delivered judgment in the action in which W. H. Coole, trading as J. T. Shaw tailor, sued Mr. B. Pasco, of Brower and Co., for the sum of and delivered. He claimed the amount as assignce of the executors of the late J. T. Shaw,

. The gist of the evidence was that plaintiff purchased the business of the late J. T. Shaw and sued defendant on one of the book debts_purchased by him. In delivering judgment His

Honour said :- Plaintiff, who is trading as J. T. Shaw claims as assignce from the executors of the late James Totten Shaw.

of 11 cents a pound as against 11 . It is also urged that debit notes cents from the Dairy Farms' town have been sent to the defendant, depot to cover the extra cost of and it is admitted that he received in Jan. last a letter of demand COMPLAINTS RE PUBLIC VEHICLES signed W. H. Coole, proprietor of To claim as proprietor of

the business is not enough. A man may purchase the book debts. The debit notes again are not in-but it is not claimed that they constitute formal notice of an assignment. Now of course ordinary debt or chose-in-action was not assignable so as to pas the right of action at law.

Section 25 (6) of the Act is represented in the Colony by Section 9 of the Law Amendment Ordinance, 1901. Under both statutes express notice in writing i essential to pass the legal right therefore, unless you have given Association in obtaining the services the statutary notice, you cannot of Peak residents who would be avail yourself of the benefits of the

A striking illustration of the matter has been shelved as the strictness with which the Act. debtor in that case could neither-LADIES CLOAKROOM FOR PEAR read nor write. The plaintiffs TRAM .- At the request of Mr. H. therefore did not go through the W. Kent, the Association approach- formality of handing him a written

Cloak room has not been estab. the act were perfectly clear. The ished and therefore they do not pro. plaintiffs had not given the notice required and there must be judgment for the defendant. So here I must non suit the plaintiff with costs. There are of course, other defences into which it is unneces sary to enquire now.

There appear to be cross claims between the parties who are not strangers to each other. I hope amicably out of court."

Mr. F. E. Nash appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. N. I. Brewer for

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INTIMIDATION ALLEGED.

A DIALECT DIFFICULTY.

An interesting intimidation charge was heard before Mr. J. R. cutters were charged with forcibly Scouts are there in Hongkong?' cutters from working.

secution were that the two com- Jamboree is mentioned. plainants were engaged with others are alleged to have been the de- both to take place on Friday and of the Peking Electric Light Works represented true market value. fendants, approached complainants Saturday next. On Friday, pro- assures us that there will be no reand using sign language, on ceedings will commence in the account of their not understanding City Hall at 4. one another's dialects, told them to His Excellency the Chief Scout follow. It is also alleged that defendants picked up complainants' Jamboree open. A'll the rooms in tools and removed the tools from the first floor will be in use, in St. an adjoining shed. In terror of Andrew's Hall being the their lives, complainants accom- hibition proper, where specimens panied the Hakkas but were met by the foreman who secured the view, and the Scouts themselves return of the tools. The Fukienese will be seen at work. St. George's were so scared that they stayed Hall is to be used as an arena in away from work for two days.

From the evidence it appeared be performed, the principal one of that defendants went to the quarry to look for work and to persuade 24 ft. trestle bridge by a squad of the Fukien men to join the Stonecutters' Guild. As they could not converse, they took away the tools to show the complainants what they meant.

Mr. T. G. Bennett, who represented defendants-contended that In addition to the displays in there was no intimidation as no force, or very little, was used.

His Worship pointed out that one of the complainants had used the phrase "terror stricken" in the Chinese Scoutmasters. The evidence.

After some argument, His Worship admitted that a tremendous amount of force had not been used and said he would give his decision on Saturday.

SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVALS.

China, (China Mail) from San Francisco, Shanghai.—A10. Kitano Maru, (N.Y.K.) from London, Singapore.-K'loon Wharf.

ton.-Co's Wharf. Swatow.-Co's Wharf.

Haiphong, (Thai Thuan) from Saigon.—C36. ingchow, (B. & S.) from Shanghai, Swatow.-B12.

Kwangtah, (C. M. S. N.) from Canton.-Co's Wharf. Szechuen, (B. & S.) from Canton.—Bg.

Hirado Maru, (M.B.K.) from Canton.-Wanchai. Sun On, (Hon Fat) from Kwong

Chow Wan.-C44 Shanghai.-Co's Wharf.

Vladivostock, Shanghai.—A3. Chipshing, (J.M. & Co.) from Tientsin, Weihaiwei.- C33.

DEPARTURES.

Haldis, (Wo Fat Sing) for Canton.-April II. Sun Li, (Po On) for Fort Bayard.

-April 11. Yei Maru, (M. B. K.) for Hongay. -April. 11. Taikwa Maru, (Y. K. K.) for Hai-

· phong, Holhow.—April 11. Kitano Maru, (N.Y.K.) for Yokohama, Shanghai.-April 11.

Kwanglee, (C. M. S. N.) for Canton.-April II. Reims, (Tai Woo) for Hoihow .--April II.

Szechuen, (B. & S.) for Shanghai, Amov.—April II.

President Pierce, (Pacific Mail) April II.

Fushimi Maru, (N. Y. K.) for London, Singapore.—April II.

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Shinghal - April It. Kweilin, (B. &S.) for Canton.-April 11.

BOY SCOUT ACTIVITIES IN HONGKONG.

THE JAMBOREE. .

Wood at the Magistracy yesterday "Scout Jamboree!" "What is afternoon, when two Hakka stone- it?" "What is it for?" "What preventing two Fukien stone- "What are they doing?" are just a few of the questions that are being The facts as related by the pro- asked at present when the

of Hongkong will declare the

of Scout handicraft will be on which a succession of displays will which being the construction of scouts drawn from the several troops and trained by Staff Sergeant Best of the R.E's. On Saturday the show will commence at 2.30 p.m., and on both nights this part of the Jamboree will close at 7 p.m. the arena on Saturday afternoon the 6th Hongkong Troop will perform a Scout Play in Chinese which has been written by one of

small room opening off St. George's Hall will be devoted to the Nature Study and Artist Section, where a very interesting collection Hongkong Butterflies, Moths etc made by the "Roving Fifth" wil be on view. Admission to the Exhibition will be free, though a small charge will be made for the Chinese Play.

Tea will be obtainable moderate charges in the Chamber of Commerce Room.

Scout or Scouter.

Kwanglee, (C. M. S. N.) from really actively and regularly spend- do not think it advisable, for the Pembrokeshire, (J.M. & Co.) from There are at present eight troops information monthly. and one patrol of Sea Scouts, and Mr. R. S. F. McBain resigned Bird. shortly two other troops will be in his directorship of the company as process of formation.

than can be shown in an Exhibition. for the present. For instance, there are about 350,- I do not think I can tell you heroism, thirty-five Silver Crosses tions you may wish to ask. for gallantry with risk of life, and There was no discussion, and the Three out of these twenty-seven ously:--Crosses were won That the report and accounts, as by Hongkong Scouts, all three presented, be passed.-Proposed

case the boy's actions were Mr. A. W. Burkill. Training, added to the "heart" to elected a director of the company, days ago a party of five Chinese seconded by Mr. Ellis Hayim. Hong Hwa, (Seng Soon Hong) scouts set out from Hongkong to That Mr. J. K. Tweed be reparticular street was occupied by a visit some scouts not belonging to elected a director of the company, peculiar class of merchant. another troopstarted on a trok-camp by Mr. F. R. Vida: in the New Territory, and pitched This concluded the business of their tents where the Smugglers' the meeting. Pass joins Pineapple Pass, The next morning several of them walked over very rough country along the Shing Mun Valley to Shatin in

COMPANY MEETING.

SHANGHAI EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT CO.

The fourth annual general meeting of shareholders in the Shanghai Exploration and Development Co. was held at the offices of the property? general agents (Messrs. George McBain), No. 1 The Bund, on April

5. Mr. John Prentice presided and was supported by Mesws. A W. Burkill, J. K. Tweed and A. J Welch (Directors) and Mr. Elmore, representing the general

Mr. Elmore having read the notice convening the meeting, the Chairman said that he would read been done, he continued:-

tric power-from the Peking Power or retiring from the business is neither here nor there. Station for 10 days. Our shafts should have been greater than the were flooded, and it took us several sum actually paid to him by watch-keeping in that of making months to pump them out before defendant. supply of electric power.

RESULT OF NEW BORINGS. Our engineer has made several borings during year, and the results obtained, together with the information gained by striking the seam reported to you, convince him that our field is far more extensive than he supposed originally. Our output at present is small, but we must not forget he is contending with a high water pressure. This pressure must be gradually reduced by boring before he can allow the miner to continue excavating. He has also inaugurated a system of pillars and safety doors for each cross-cut, so that at any time in the future, should he meet with an unusual quantity of water, each crosscut can be independently closed, and therefore will not cause any interference with the production of coal from other cross-cuts.

As the preparatory work is not yet completed our production of coal'is still unimportant, but our manager anticipates completing this work in about a fortnight from now, and he will then be able to start to increase the production gradually. He informs us that no further work has been done on our branch line, but it is reported that the dispute causing the delay is likely to be settled very shortly.

I regret that I am unable to give money. On both nights, the second part of you a fuller report on the com- Witness, in reply to further the Jamboree, the Grand Concert, pany's present position and future questions, said that he considered will be held in the Theatre Royal at prospects, as, to do so, I should be a man a fool who paid more than a nightly meeting yesterday after-9.15 p.m. Several interesting and obliged to give you figures based Soshu Maru, (O.S.K.) from Can- amusing items are on the program- on estimates. Your directors have me, not least of which is a more given this matter very careful Hydrangea, (Chin, On) from modern version of Shakespeare's consideration and decided even-"Tempest" than that recently pro- tually that mining estimates are so duced by the A.D.C. Tickets for dangerous that, with the best the concert can be obtained from intentions, we might mislead you Messrs. Moutrie's or from any Boy rather than help you to arrive at the true value of the company's The purpose of the Jamboree is property at Mentoukou. It was

MEETING ESTIMATES.

threefold, to show that the Scouts | therefore agreed that we' should in Hongkong are alive, to arouse confine our statements to facts as interest and gain support, and to far as possible. If there is inincrease membership in all rapks. formation available during the There are about 200 Scouts in the current year that would be of par-Colony on the books of the various | ticular interest, it is our intention troops, of which about 150 are to notify you in some way, but we ing their spare time in Scouting, present at any rate, to publish

from October 30, 1922, owing to the Something of what Scouts here date of his return to Shanghai beare doing will be seen during the ing indefinite, and your directors Jamboree, but far more goes on do not propose to fill the vacancy

000 Scouts of all ranks registered anthing more that would be of inat Imperial Headquarters in Lon- terest to you, but, before putting don. During the year 1922, three the resolutions to the meeting, Bronze Crosses were awarded for shall be glad to answer any ques-

twenty-seven Gilt Crosses for following resolutions were put to plucky and meritorious action, the meeting and carried unanim- You cannot suggest that a man who

being Chinese boys. In each by the Chairman and seconded by entirely the result of Scout That Mr. A. W. Burkill be re-

this Association who live on the -Proposed by Mr. G. H. Potts and

order to get back to Hongkong for are subject to disorder of the bowels and dealt with by the most profound a reheartal in the afternoon, which should receive the most or ein writers. of the country in which they live, they attended and atoace returned attended and atoace returned attended and atoace returned attended and atoace returned attended. As soon as any hunstered attended in the first in the first in the first interpretation of the bowle is noticed with the game way and stage. The Ruminhus established a lead v Mixed Doubles.—It is more difficult in call that the game way and stage. The Ruminhus established a lead v Mixed Doubles.—It is more difficult in call that the game way and stage.

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Where it is not in the first set which they won the first set when the same effects was imposed six Lev and Lo led till the fifth game. The same effects was imposed six Lev and Lo led till the fifth game. The same effects was imposed six Lev and Lo led till the fifth game. The same effects was imposed six Lev and Lo led till the fifth game. The same effects was imposed six Lev and Lo led till the fifth game. The same effects was imposed six Lev and Lo led till the fifth game. The same effects was imposed six Lev and Lo led till the fifth game. The same effects was imposed six Lev and Lo led till the fifth game. The same effects was imposed six Lev and Lo led till the fifth game. The same effects was imposed six Lev and Lo led till the fifth game. The same effects was imposed six Lev and Lo led till the fifth game. The same effects was imposed six Lev and Lo led till the fifth game. The same effects was imposed six Lev and Lev a

PROPERTY VALUES.

MR. H. W. BIRD'S VIEWS.

LAND DEAL DISPUTE.

What is the true market value of That was the question debated at when on watch : length-before the Chief Justice, Sir | The trick of diverting attention

William Recs Davies yesterday, from yourself should be cultivated, when the Chinese partnership dis- an it is most useful. For instance, pute was continued. The plaintiff, of the Watch has forgotten to send in a boat for the Commander, theresleeping partner claims from the by keeping him waiting on defendant, Au Man Kit the manag- draughty pier in the pouring rain Chairman said that he would read ing partner of the Yue Tak firm for perhaps three-quarters of an the auditors' report, and this having that certain property belonging to hour, he will at once accuse you of the firm was sold at a gross under- having omitted to call it away. You Progress at our mine at Mentou- vuluation. Counsel for plaintiff will immediately reply that you kou during the year was slower submitted that the property in questigave strict orders to the quarter-than anticipated, owing to abnormtion was worth \$55,000 but was sold master to call it away well up to al floods in September last and the by defendant for only \$34,000 time. He in turn will probably complete breakdown of our elec- whereby plaintiff's realised share take it out of the sideboy, but that

we were able to continue our north west drift to the coal. Our the defence yesterday, Mr. W. H. can produce at frequent intervals a engineer-in-chief has had many Bird of the firm of Messrs. Palmer steaming cup of cocoa, you will not engineer-in-chief has had many years' experience in mining in and Turner, architects and surve- only gain his friendship, which may be useful on occasions, but, with only a small return on the invest- bour, he will retire to the ward The Jamboree, so called because our present machinery (with an ment do not represent "market from Fukien to work in a quarry at it cannot very well be called any- additional pump, which is on order value" whilst Mr. Eldon Potter, North Point. About the end of thing else, will consist in this case is capable of coping with the water counsel for plaintiff contended that free to light a cigarette, and once March twelve Hakkas, two of whom of an Exhibition and a Concert, situation, and the engineer-in-chief whatever price property yielded more telling the quartermaster to

> currence of the breakdown of the price paid for the property lucky), the quartermaster will call (\$34,000) was a very fair price you before the Officer of the Watch and was not a gross undervalua- returns on deck. Should the ship

tion as alleged. said that in his opinion the pro- Watch should go below, as at the perty would not have been worth subsequent court martial, after the any more in January, 1921, when it ship has rammed her next abead, was sold than when he valued it the members of the Court are apt in February, 1922. He considered to take an unduly pessimistic view the price paid (\$34,000) was a very of your absence from the bridge,

Mr. Jenkin: The plaintiff claims effects on your seniority. from this Court a declaration that the true value of the properties in January, 1921, was \$55,000. Would you say that was a true value?-I say \$30,000.

Cross-examined by Mr. Eldon Potter, Mr. Bird said that his valuation would also be his valuation-of-the property as-a security.

Mr. Potter: Do you suggest that would depend entirely on what sprung up between an enthusiastic . return the intending purchaser Midshipman of the Watch and a wanted for his money.

peculiar class of merchants?-I kindly thought of protecting the can't tell you that.

are buying property at treble, even quadruple, the former price?-It is true, but it is not a business transaction: They buy these properties because they want some place for their families, and they don't care what return they get for their

resonable price for property.

in this particular street, and the Mr. Wong Kwong-tin and Mr. J. A. folly goes back for many years .- I Fraser (Secretary). say that he is not making a business In connection with the amendtransaction if he buys at a price | ment of the Animal Byc-laws, the which brings him in return of four Chairman mentioned an enquiry or five per cent: on his transaction, from Mr. Wong Kwong-tin as to Counsel. It was, in effect, suppos- further amendment of the proviing he attended a sale of property sion that the cleansing and disinwith the intention of buying at a feeting be at the public expense price which would bring nine in a meant an alteration to the return of 8 per cent., and another procedure. The Chairman said man attended the sale prepared to, there was no alteration in the pay considerably more, because he practice. A suggestion also receivwould be satisfied with a return of ed from Mr. Wong was the inclu-2 per cent. "Which would be the sion of a compensation clause in true market value?" asked Mr. the amendment to encourage per-

price for which the property was suffering from infectious diseases

would call it a fancy price; the same as the man who is pre- Board considered it his duty to pared to pay £20,000 for an old do so. master. It represents the market On the motion of the Chairman, value. It is a scarcity value and seconded by Dr. Ozorio, the amendthe only definition of market price ment of the Animal Bye-laws was

is the price it fetches. is satisfied with a return of 2 per cents is getting market value.

Mr. Potter: Yes, my Lord, if the house is in a certain place and men are prepared to pay large sums of money to get hold of that property for certain reasons; it has particular for San Francisco, Shanghai.— put that training into use. Ten —Proposed by Mr. A. Woods and effect on the market value. Counsel

value. I want a fair return of 8 per time cent for my outlay. A Chinese is satisfied with 2 per cent. I have argued this point with many people. Mr. Potter: Oh, yes, it is gues-

IN THE NAVY.

HOW TO SUCCEED.

The amusing instructions of Nauticus" on "How to Succeed in the Navy" are continued in the January number, of the Nautical Magazine. The writer is advising the juniors upon their behaviour

cocoa for the Officer of the Watch room to drink it. This leaves you "carry on," you can retire to the .Mr. Bird considered that the gun room, from whence (if you are be at sea it is not advisable that In reply to Mr. Jenkin, witness either you or the Officer of the

> which is likely to have far reaching | f When making cocoa for the Officor of the Watch at sea, always! \$ make use of the well fitted and comfortable chart house, which is

bbviously crected for the purpose. It is also as well to bear in mind that Navigating Officers generally have a ridiculous regard for the varnish of the chart house table, the your valuation of \$30,000 is reason- beauty of which is liable to be imable and that any price above that paired if hot cocoa is spilled over would not be reasonable?-That it. Many a life-long friendship has

livery Navigating Officer, through This street of houses is used by a the Midshipman having had the varnish by placing the cocoa on one You know it is a fact that Chinese of the Navigator's carefully correct-

SANITARY BOARD.

ANIMAL BYE-LAWS.

The Sanitary Board held its fortnoon, Mr. G. R. Sayer presiding. Mr. Potter: In that case I can Those present were the Hon. Mr. give you examples of many fools T. L. Perkins, Dr. F. M. G. Ozorio,

Witness then put a question to whether the deletion from the sons notifying the police or sani-Mr. Potter: 'I should say the lary inspectors of cases of cattle He (the Chriman) did not support The Chief Justice said that he the suggestion. Persons reporting infectious cases of the kind receiv-Mr. Potter! It is the market | cd \$1 as reward. In the case of a price whatever he pays. It is just cattle owner making the report the

GOLF.

The result of the Captain's Cup Competition, played at Fanling on Mr. J. M. Walker with a score of

Mr. Bird: I don't agree that the and Europeans, will be ready for was again brillient in his service but beat F. Wheeler and C. E. Millard,

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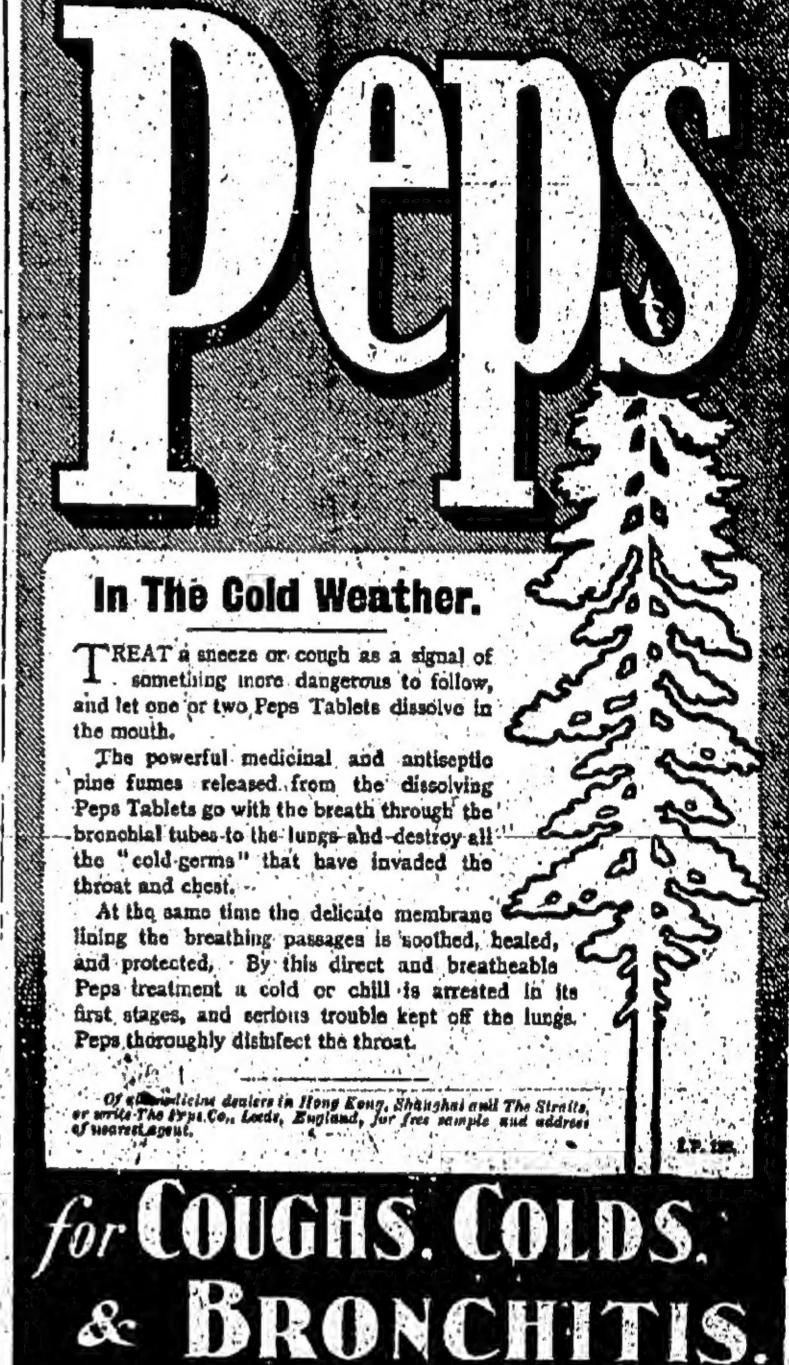
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TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

The brothers, O. and H. D. Rumjahn entered the semi-final of the Open Championship Doubles in the H.K.C.C. tournament by beating pionship Doubles was played yester-Thomas Lay and M. P. Lo in three day when E. R. S. Dods and A. B. straight sets yesterday. The pairs 7th, 8th and 9th April was won by met on Monday afternoon, but play was a second round tie and the winwas abandoned owing to bad light ners will have to meet R. H. Wild with the scores at two sets all, and and J. D. Humphreys in the third it was decided to re-play the match round. Each pair won a set yester-

Construction work in connect Yesterday the Indians played a the third and fourth sets easily. mainland north of Macao. They seconded by Mr. D. Fleming.

You have laid down a startling proposed their destination at 4 Matthews be re-elected auditors position, Mr. Bird, if you say that a for the ensuing year.—Proposed to Kowloon City has begun. It is pair. They countered to the Chinese price fetched for a house is not expected that the institution, which and confined their opponents to the Lo and Thomas Lay, 6-4, 6-8, 6-2; price paid by Chinese is market occupation in about 18 months his brother played the better game 8-6, 2-6, 6-4, 6-1. and did most of the work. Los Club Championship - R. E. lobs were not as successful as on Worthington beat A. Eveleigh, 6-2, Monday and he was disappointing 6-2, 6-2. in the last set, Lay improved on ... Handicap Doubles .- R. M. Hen-Monday's showing and drove well, derson and A. Brearley (-1/6) beat forehand and backband, across the L. Forster and T. H. King (ser.),

forged ahead to win 6-3. The third set was rather one-sided, the Rumjohns leading 3-1, then 5-2 and winming 6-2.

Arrangements have been made for the Rumiahns to meet A. Eveleigh and A. S. Lindsell in the semi-final on the stand court this

Another match in the Open Cham-Raworth beat F. Wheeler and C. E day, but Dods and Raworth took

SHOT IN CHAIR.

WYNDHAM STREET SENSATION,

PROMINENT CHINESE ATTACKED

Mr. Chan Wing-hsin, formerly fixed, provisionally, for May 17. Director of the Canton Arsenal Defences, who is a son of Mr. Chan to Shanghai and some of them Chik-yu, ex-Civil Governor of have accepted. Other "possibles" Kwangtung, and a nephew of Mr. will participate in a series of trials, obscene language on March 30. particular person, his Worship dis-Chan Kang-yu (Compradore of the first of which is to take place on It was explained that the house was missed the summons. Messrs. Douglas Lapraik and Co.) the H.K.C.C. ground on Saturday. was shot at the junction of Wynd- Invitations, have been sent to ham Street and Glencaly at about Messrs. G. R. Sayer, L. J. Davies, half past seven last night. Three H. Owen Hughes, A. A. Rumjahn, bullets, presumably from a pistol, U. M. Omar and the Rev. E. K.

entered his back. down Glenealy unaccompanied the date in question and he will prowhen three shots rang out and he bably skipper the Hongkong elven. fell out. The assailant, whose But for his injury, R.E.A. Webster identity is unknown to the police, would have been included but it is escaped, although efforts were doubtful if he will be fit by then. made by a number of police His absence will be missed, partiofficers who were attracted cularly in the attack. by the sound of firing.

A China Mail reporter, who was the first European on the scene following sides at 2 p.m. on the addressed Mr. Chan who replied in English "I am shot; help me. Aid was immediately summoned through the Wyndham Hotel telephone. Despite his wounds, Mr. Chan remained cool and collected. He was bleeding profusely and the right side of his jaw was falling from his chair. As he was G. A. V. Hall, B. Petheram, E. F intimated that he was the son of F. G. Wheeler and H. E. Hollands. the ex-Governor of Canton adding

Put me in a motor-car and take me to the Government Civil Hospital." A motor-car which was stationary outside Glencaly Building was immediately requisitioned and he was then taken away. The police are of the opinion that he was shot from political motives.

Enquiries at the hospital elicited that Mr. Chan's condition is very serious. Two of the wounds are not of much consequence but the third injured the spinal cord and paralysis has set in. An operation will be attempted this afternoon but, to use Dr. McKenny's words Offices of the Public Works Department, the outlook is "very gloomy." by Order of His Excellency the Governor the outlook is "very gloomy."

Mr. Chan, whose age known in the Colony, both to Europeans and Chinese. He is by the Surveyor of His Majesty the a native of the Heungshan district, King, for one further term of 75 years. which is also the home of Sun Yatsen and Tang Shao-yi. After studying for some time here, he proceeded to Yale University of which he is a graduate. Before entering political life, he was in business in Hongkong, being one of the founders of the Pacific Trading Co., Ltd. At one time he was identified with The Sun Company.

His first appointment was in 1921, when he was made Director of the Canton Arsonal after General Chen Chiung-ming had expelled the Kwangsi militarists. Last year, he played an important part in the June coup which ousted Sun from Canton. It is claimed that, next to Ip Kui, he was mainly instrumental in bringing about Sun's defeat. He was made a Lieut, -- General and personaly led an expedition against the pro-Sun forces in Heungshan under a previous Director of the Arsenal. From Heungshan he brought his victorious troops to Kongmoon where he
quelled a rising on Sun's hehalf by
one of the district magistrates. With a number of gun-boats linetion of Nathan and Gascoigne Roads, Kowloon, in the Colony of captured at Kongmoon, he reongkong for a term of 75 years, with
organised the River Defence
the option of renewal at a Crown Rent
to be fixed by the Surveyor of His
Chen's return, Commissioner of Mojesty the Ring, for one further term captured at Kongmoon, he re-River Defences. More recently, of 16 years. he sought to stem the invasion by the Yunnan-Kwangsi troops but disloyalty caused by propaganda disintegrated his following and he left Canton a few days after Chen's flight and after his father's relinquishing of the Governorship.

M. SKLAREVSKI.

YESTERDAY'S CHARMING RECITAL.

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(b) Moonlight Sonats... | oven. 2.—(a) Ballade a flat major...... (b) Nocturne, Fsharpminor (c) Waltz, C sharp minor ... (d) Polonaise, A flat major

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... (a) Antique Menuet. Sgambatti: (b) Loreley Liszt. (c) Campanella M. Sklarevski visits Macao, after which ha goes to Manila. He

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The China Mail learns that an in-One of the most prominent terport cricket match between heard before Mr. R. E. Lindsell Chinese residents in Hongkong, Shanghai and Hongkong has been this morning.

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When a provision merchant was fined £5 at Glasgow for describing Egyptian eggs as fresh eggs, it was suggested that though they might not have come out of Tut-ankh Amen's tomb yet the eggs could not be fresh after coming from Egypt.

daybreak.

The police are continuing their inquiries into the death of Mr. William James Clark, the rich estate agent, of Manor Park, E., whose body was found in the Thames at Purflect seven weeks after his disappearance on December 8, but no light has yet been thrown on the mystery.

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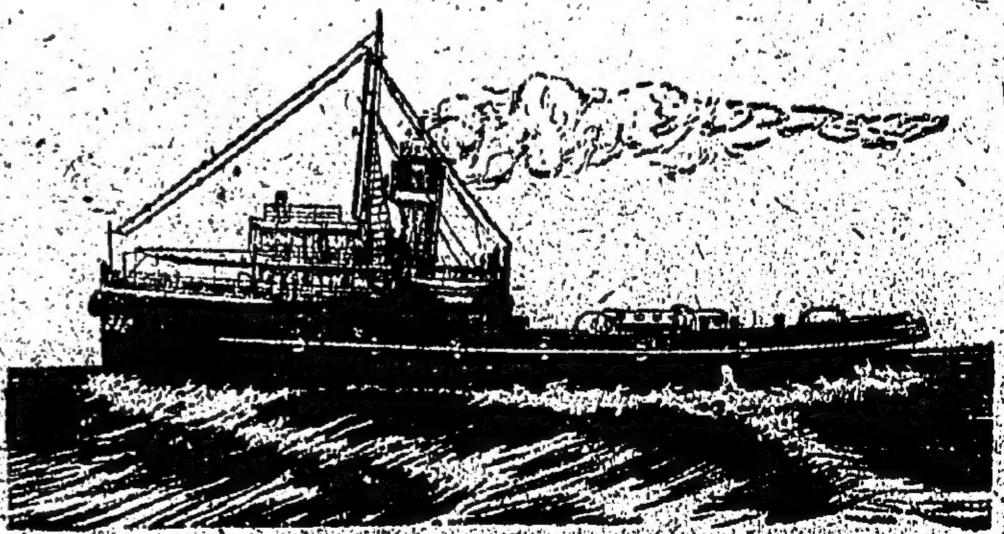
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IRELAND'S TROUBLES OVER?

IRREGULAR'S LEADER CAPTURED.

LONDON, April 10. It is announced in Dublin that the Irregular's leader Liam Lynch.

was wounded and captured in a fight with Free State troops at South Clonmel. NOT SO MANY MURDERS. The Lord Chief Justice, opening the Belfast Commission, said that there had not been a single case of murder since the last Commission

in February, compared with ninety-seven cases for the same period of last year. It was also remarkable that the word "riot" was absent from the calendar. SITUATION MORE HOPEFUL LONDON, April 10.

An early and important development of the Irish situation is anticipated as an outcome of informal conversations between the Irish hierarchicals who are exploring peace proposals. The conversations culminated in a long meeting of Bishops in Dublin to-day presided over by Cardinal Logue and attended by the Vatican representative, Monsignor Luzio. It is reliably learned that a marked degree of optimism characterised the resolution adopted.

ORGANISED OPPOSITION COLLAPSING?

Fresh proposals, largely based on the Government's declarations of policy towards the Irregulars were tentatively drawn up and have 1st July last to the Hongkong been considered by De Valera and Austin Stack. The peace Tramways Limited, the accounts for atmosphere in Dublin is described as more hopeful than at any time since the Irregularopposition began and the arrest of Liam Lynch strengthens the belief that organised opposition is on the eve of a collapse.

LIAM LYNCH DEAD. DUBLIN, April 11. It is officially reported that Liam Lynch died at Clonmel at 8.45

yesterday evening. A GENERAL IMPROVEMENT.

DUBLIN, April 11.

The Lord Chief Justice, opening the Dublin Commission, said that spart from malicious injuries there was an improvement in the state Dublin, and the country generally. Citizens were now co-operating with the police. The continuation of co-operation would bring them nearer to the peace of God and prosperity.

PAPAL ENVOY TO INTERVIEW MR. COSGRAVE.

DUBLIN, April 11.

It is understood that the meeting of bishops in Dublin yesterday evening drew up a petition to Monsignor Luzio as a result of which it has been arranged that the Papal Envoy interviews Mr. Cosgrave to-day. The petition may well be regarded as a desire of the Irish people through their ecclesiastical leaders for an early peace.

TREATMENT OF EX-SERVICEMEN.

HOME GOVERNMENT DEFEAT.

LONDON, April 10 The Government was defeated by 145-votes-to 138 on the civil service estimates as regards the question of the treatment of exservicemen.

HOW IT HAPPENED.

The Government defeat occurred on a technical motion that the Speaker leave the chair. This enables a preliminary discussion topics embraced in the estimates before the latter are investigated by the committee. In the course of it there was a discussion on the position of ex-service men in the civil service. The declaration "voted" was greeted with loud and prolonged cheers by the Labourites, who enthusiastically threw order papers into the air, waved handkerchiefs and cried "Resign," and "Send for the Premier." The House then adjourned. The defeat creates a very awkward technical difficulty which the ministry, however, expects to surmount. The setback is attributed to the Government whip's blunder.

RUHR REPRISALS.

ESSEN TO PAY 100,000,000 MARKS. --

PARIS, April 11. A message from Duesseldorf-states that a French patrol was fired upon at Feilendorf and the leader of it was slightly wounded. The

assailants were not arrested but it is stated that punitive measures are being taken. ESSEN, April 11.

The town of Essen has been sentenced to pay a fine of a hundred million marks within ten days as a punishment for the murder of a French soldier in the cellar of the railway station.

OBITUARY.

MR. STUYVESANT FISH.

NEW YORK, April 11.

The death has occurred of Mr. Stuyvesant Fish, former Secretary of State and a well-known financier.

HIGH SUGAR PRICES.

AMERICAN TARIFF NOT RESPONSIBLE.

WASHINGTON, April 11. The Tariff Commission which is investigating the high of price sugar has assured President Harding that the new Tariff Bill is not responsible for it.

AMERICA AND SOVIET.

COMMISSAR'S WIFE BARRED.

WASHINGTON, April 11.

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-Mr. D. G. M. Bernard presided and there were present: The Hon. Sir Paul Chater, Mr. A. H. Compton, Rev. Father L. Robert and Sir Robert Ho Tung (directors), W. E. Roberts(secretaryand general man-

permission, take them as read.

the year are in the same form as have previously been submitted to you, but as the whole of the tramway undertaking was assigned on the half year ended 31st December 1922 show only the dividends received and receivable. The accounts of the new Company which have also been sent to you show the position as at 1st July at 31st December. Taking the are hereby adopted." figures of the working account for ing profit shows an increase of \$123,703. The number of passengers carried, exclusive of monthly ticket holders, amounted 19,434,558 an increase over the previous year of 2,239,731, or 13%. am sure you will agree that the result of the year's working is very

satisfactory. -In-the-accounts-of-the-Hongkong Tramways Limited, you will observe that the sterling fixed deposit shows a profit on realisation of \$70,545.74 which has been added to the exchange fluctuation account. From this account has been deducted the purchase account adjustment (being the excess of liabilities over assets in the purchase account). As it is not the exchange fluctuation account Mr. A. A. Alves, Mesers. Lower been transferred from profit meeting. and loss account to this general reserve account, making the total \$900,000. You will also observe that the sum of \$22,000 has been written off goodwill in the item of tramway undertaking. Goodwill appeared in that account at \$650,-000, and your Directors think it advisable to write this amount off over the remainder of the term for which-the- Company owns -thetramway rights.

Car Improvements. your Directors last year decided to Pank (managing director), Mr. Lau construct an additional six cars, Po-wing, (director), Mr. C. Bond, and these have just been placed in (secretary) and the following service. A further six cars are now shareholders: - Messrs. Chow under construction, and should Tung-sang, Pang Kwok-sui S enable us to deal adequately with Yamuachi, Leung Yan-po and D. the traffic of the coming year. Ex- Rumjahn. periments are now being made in The Chairman said: order to provide a permanent roof | Before proceeding with the to all tramcars, so as to give pro- business of this meeting I should tection to the top deck passengers like to express the regret of your

these covers in due course. with the Hongkong Electric Co., record their appreciation of his Ltd., for supplying electrical valuable services during his asenergy for the working of the tram- sociation with the Company as a way, to which I referred at our last director, and to convey to his meeting, has now been in effect | widow and family, in their sad for some months, and is ad- bereavement, the sympathies of plant and machinery in the shareholders.

house into offices.

tory results. be faced in the near future on the are of the opinion that the balance track on the Shaukiwan Road, sheet as placed before you is This road is being widened, and in every way a creditable

not in a position as yet to add any-carry, forward the balance of thing further to that statement. \$1,392.72 to this years account. I

Income Tax Difficulty.

I now come to a matter affecting general depression of business. the future of this Company. Tele- not only in the Colony, but graphic advice has been received the world over we are very from London to the effect that it is fortunate in being able to pay a possible that in consequence of the dividend of 90 cents per share altered status of the Company a Our thanks are due to the staff far claim may be made by the Inland the assidulty shown during the Revenue anthorities for income tax on the whole of the dividende received from the Hongkong Tramways Limited, and not merely on the portion of the dividends remit ted to London, which has been the case hitherto. Whether such a claim, if made, can be substantiated I am not in a position to say, but, best of my ability any questions in view of the possibility thereof your directors consider it advisable to wind up this Company before an- Proposed by the Chairman, other dividend is paid. General seconded by Mr. Leung Yan-po meetings of shareholders, which the report and statement of acwill be held in London, will be counts were adopted. convened in due course. If the shareholders of the Company pass Pang Kwok-sui seconded the reager) and the following sharehold- the resolutions which will then be election of Mr. Lan Po-wing as ers: R. J. Wilton, H. Smythe, Ho. proposed a distribution of the shares director. This was carried. Leung, A. A. Alves, W. E. Van of the Hongkong Tramways, Eps, E. J. Chapman, A. H. M. da Limited will be made, so that share- seconded by Lan Po-wing Messrs. Silva, A. R. Lowe and M. Manuk. holders of this Company will then Lowe, Bingham, and Matthews,

The Chairman said: Gentlemen, become shareholders of that Com- were re-elected auditors at a fee of -The report of directors and the pany in exactly the same propor- \$750. statement of accounts for the year tion. The procedure of winding up 1922 have been in your possession an English Company is a long one, for some time, and I will, with your and it is anticipated that the distribution of shares, if approved, can-The accounts for the first half of not be made until about January, 1924, so that it is not proposed this year to pay an interim dividend. Notices of the extraordinary general meetings of shareholders will be issued in due course. The O.P.S., R.M.S. "Empress of Russia" arrived at Manila on Apr. 10,

I do not think there is anything more that calls for comment and now beg to propose: "That the report of the Directors and statement of accounts for the year ended 31st on 'pr. 4 for Boston and New York. December, 1922, be and the same

morrow at 7 a.m.

The B F. s.s. "Eurylochus" from Liverpool left Singapore on Apr. 10 day-

light for this port and is due here on

There were no questions and after Apr. 16. the whole year, traffic and miscel- the resolution had been seconded by laneous receipts show an increase the Hon. Sir Paul Chater and car- pool on Apr. 6 for Singapore, Hongkong, of \$172,072, working expenses an ried unanimously, the Chairman Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama and is Chamberlain's Pain Balm and see that increase of \$48,369, and the work- further moved: "that the final due at this part on or about May 14.

The B. F. s.s. "Elpmor" left Liverdividend for the year ended 31st pool on Apr. 7 for Singapore, Hongkong, poison is too dangerous a disease to risk.

December, 1922, at the rate of two hanghai and Hankow and is due here. For sale by all Chemists and shillings per share (making a total on or about May 10. of three shillings per share for the year) recommended by the Directors be and is hereby sanctioned, and that the same be paid to be shareholders on the Colonial Hongkong) Register at the exchange rate of two shillings and two pence three farthings per Hongkong

The Hon. Sir Paul Chater again seconded and the motion was carried unanimously.

The retiring directors, Rev. Fr. L. Robert and Mr. A. H. Compton were reciected Directors of the Company on the motion of Mr. anticipated that there will be any E. J. Chapman seconded by Mr. appreciable differences in ex- Ho Lenng and on the motion of change in the future, the balance of Mr. W. E. van Eps seconded by has been combined with the contin- Bingham & Matthews were elected gent-liability-account in a general auditors at a fee of \$1,500 to hold reserve. The sum of \$81,793.50 has office until the next annual general

WINES'AND SPIRITS.

GANDE, PRICE & CO. LTD.

The sixteenth annual general meeting of Messrs, Gande Price & Co., Ltd. wine and spirit merchants, was held this morning at the Company's offices, Queen's

Mr. C. H. Lyson presided and In view of the increased traffic there were also present Mr. S. C.

in wet weather. If they are satisfac- directors at the loss they have suftory all cars will be fitted with feed by the death of the Hon. Mr. Lau Chu-pak which occurred The arrangement entered into during the year, and to place on

vantageous to this Company. The your Board of Directors and of the generating station has not yet been | The report and accounts having been in your hands for the pre-It is necessary to make certain scribed period. I will with your alterations in the tramway depot permission follow the usual procein order to provide accommodation | dure and take them, as read. The for the additional cars, and new net profit for the year under review workshops are now being made on is \$12,534.20 being a decrease of. the site of the old boiler house. It \$28,010.66 which is chiefly acis proposed to convert the power counted for by the strike in the early part of 1922, general trade An extension of the tramway on depression owing to unsettled con-the east side of the Happy Valley, ditions prevailing in South China

1113 yards in length, has been con- and also to the Prohibition Act structed, and is showing satisfac- coming into force which affected our harbour sales. Under these Heavy expenditure will have to abnormal conditions your Directors places diverted, and as the traffic one and they trust it will there is growing considerably meet with the approval of track in place of the present single track as soon as it is balance of \$5,153.03 brought for possible to do so.

ward from the credit of Profit The subject of the tramway in and Loss Account for 1921 Kowloon has been referred to year makes a total credit of

PASSENGERS.

think, gentlemen, considering the

DEPARTURES.

Per P. M. a.s. "President Pierce" on April 11 for San Francisco :- Mr G. A. Allen, Mr Amar Nath, Mr and Mrs M year and we trust with their co-W. Bailey, Miss L. Bullock, Mr and Mrs. W., D. Brownell, Mr Geo D. Brownell, operation we shall have far better results to place before you at our Mr Dexter Brownell, Mr H. C. Brownell Mr J. B. Betterton, Mr W. J. Corcoran. fied yesterday. next annual meeting. With these few.remarks I have much pleasure Mr Chan Wie Man, Mr Chan Yuet Chin, Mr Chin How Noosy, Mr Ching Fuo. Miss D. Gross, Mr Ho Ah Nong, Mr and in proposing the adoption of the report and accounts as presented and after they have been seconded, I shall be pleased to answer to the Legergren, Mr and Mrs G. Leyte, Mr Louis Jen Chong, Mr Lee Yuen, Mr Louis Chong Chin, Mr Leong Sik Wing, Dr. and Mrs J. Kerr Love, Mrs C. M. the share holders may desire to Malcom, Mr Vlorence Mechan, Mr Mah M. McCullough, Mr B. Pickett, Mr H. C. Page, Mr. F. Rayner, Mrs E. O. the books of his library recently Thompson, Miss C. I. Wright Mr F. J. scized by troops of Liao Hsiang Mr. C. Bond proposed and Mr Williams, Mr Yee Tin, Mr Yee Chee: for Honolulu ; Mr C. Ligot, Mr and Mrs T. F. Mullahey, Master T. F. Mullahey: for Yokohama ; Capt. P. R. Parker, Mr A. On the motion of Mr. Pank Mr Robert Atwell, Mr J. B. Rambara, Mrs L. Becker, Miss A. C. Bartlett, Mrs F. B. Burch, Miss R. Carter, Mr C. P. Converse, Mr and Mrs J. W. Orider: Mr and Mra T. C. Chan, Mr P. Y. Chan, Mr F. Y. Chen, Mr L. C. Cheng, Mr and Mrs Chuang Chai Shum, Mr and Mrs P. M. manager of the Hongkong Hotel MOVEMENT OF STEAMERS, Mr and Mrs F. H. Fitzgerald. Mr Y. E. hv the "President Pierce" for Fung, Mr J. Y. Fang, Mrs B. Grove, Mrs Shanghai whither he has been A. Garfinkel, Mr and Mrs T A. Graham, transferred The C.P.S., R.M.S. " Empress of Asia" Mrs R. A. Gilmore, Miss R. B. Gilmore from Hongkong on Mar. 22 arrived at Vancouver on Apr. 9. Miss E. Hall, Mr H. E. Horn, Miss E

"t 5.30 a.m. left Manila on Apr. 10 at | Kinnard, Miss F. Kittelberg, Messrs E.

3.30 p n. and is due at Hongkong to- H. Leinhan, J. A. Lim, H. P. Lao, Mr

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A Parent's Duty.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Mr. H. W. Bird was amongst those who left for Home to-day by the "Fushimi Maru."

Eight cases (including two imported) of small-pox and one of enteric fever. Chinese, were noti-

Shares of \$100 or over will be Mrs R. I. Jeffery, Miss J. A. Jeffery, Mr & bought or disposed of by the Small

> Hung Chiang-hing, a wellknown Cantonese, has offered a reward of \$5,000 for the return of

Lists of the draw for the Tipple, Mrs M. Wood : for Kobe ; Mr J. F. Royal Hongkong Golf Club's Sum-But : for Shanghai ; Mrs E. S. Abbott, mer Cup, also the result of the non-Miss B. A. Abbott, Mr E. W. Alderson, selling sweep in connection with it, have now been posted in the usual Club Houses.

Mr. E. W. Alderson assistant Davis, Mr H. Dundes, Mr E. Farrell, Company, left Hongkong to-day transferred.

> Mr and Mrs W. F. Montgomery, Mr Ma-Joe Kum, Mrs J. F. Mason, Mr C. V. Mayer, Mrs A. Mages, Mrs L. McKeown, Mrs Ann V. McCleary, Miss Ann Mo-Cleary, Master Read McCleary, Messre T. Omiya, J. F. Owsley, M. Pirovano, Mrs G. Mrs G. Pittingell, Mrs F. W Mrs M. D. Pardy, Misses F. rdy, D. Riley, M. Ranken, J. Rankon, Lieut Col. Alec. Reiss Messra Denys L. B. Tribolet, Mr and Mrs W. C. Teeng, Mr and Mrs John L. Traphagen, Mr W. Ulanoff, Miss F. Weatherton, Miss E. Warren, Messes Joseph Weil, N. Kayano, S. Ishida and H. Y. Fok.

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National Socialists (German Fascisti) parading in Munich, centre of the movement to oppose the French.



The divorce suit of Mrs. Sydney J. Hir ch, filed a year age, has now brought about the indictment of John Berkowitz, charged with operating a "divorce syndicate." Engagede to shadow Mr. Hirsch, Berkowitz, it is alleged, employed Mortimer Foss, who declared he had found Hirsch with a blond woman. Hirsch vigorously denied the charge and proved an alibi. Later Berkowitz was arrested and charged with procuring Foss to make a false charge against Hirsch.



Dr. Karl Heidemann the father, has been ordered by the courts to return to Marie Louis Baco the child that was born to her three years ago. He took the baby as soon as it was born, told the story to his wife, and gave her the baby. Mrs. Heidemann became enamoured of the child and refused to give it back to the mother. Now, however, Miss Baco has shown the court she is financially able to care for the infant, and its custody has been awarded to her.



Princess Xenia Shakovsky, Russian exile, now earns her living as a cafe waitress in the Russian Eagle Restaurant in the East Side of New York City. Her husband, Prince George, is employed as a labourer in an exporting concern.



Acclaimed "Miss Canada" at the great Winter Carnival in Montreal. Miss Blair, who is a stenographer, is a charming brunette, nineteen years old.

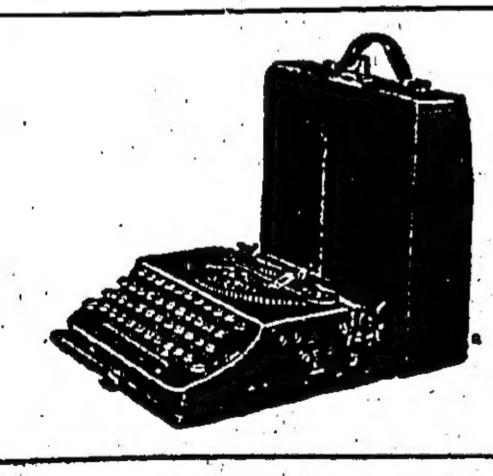
BRINGING UP FATHER



Said to have tried to shoot one of her former husbands this lady, whom Chicago knows as the "Cave Woman" recently said "I will" for the third time.



Mme. Alexandra Kollantay, formerly Bolshevik Minister of Public Welfare, has been appointed Russian Minister to Norway. Mme. Kollantay was born an aristocrat and is known as the most avowed feminist in Russia, including English, and is the author of several works on social problems.



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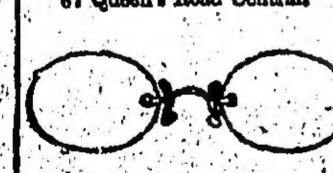
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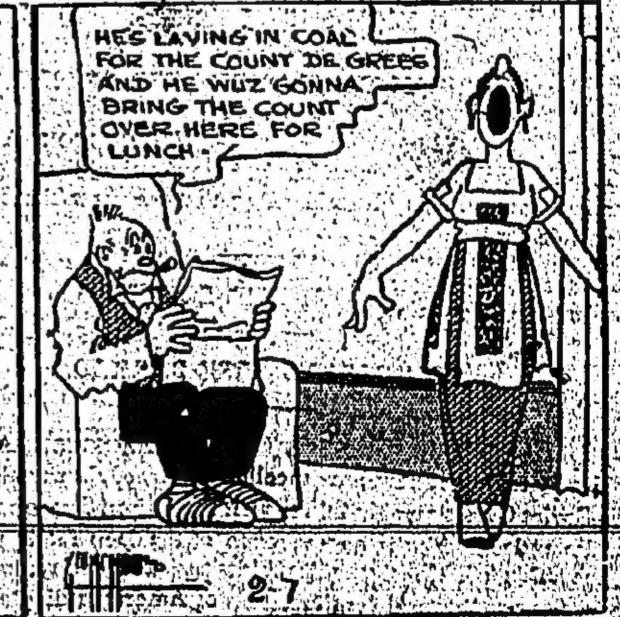


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ANTI-JAPANESE MOVEMENT.

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HSU CHUNG CHIH ADVANCING

ON CANTON.

Two of General Hsu Chung

Chih's divisions are reported to have

entered Kwangtung, and defeated a

small opposing force. He is press-

ing on towards Canton, though still

MOVEMENT OF STEAMERS

Rnis's "arrived at Manils on Apr. 10 at-

The B F. ss. "Nirschow" arrived at

The Bon Line 8.3. "Benmohr" from Antwerp, Middlesbro, Leithand London

left Singspore for this port via Manila

on Apr. I and may be expected to arrive

The C.P.S., R.M.S. "Empress of

Canada' arrived at Shanghai on Apr. 9

at 5 p.m. left Shanghai on Apr. 10 at

8 a.m. and is due at Kobe to-morrow at

The B. F. s s. "Mentor" from Liver-

The B. I. B.s. " Torilla" left Singapore for this port on Apr. 7 and is due here

The B. F s.s. "Kurylochus" left

Liverpool on Mar. 8 for Penang, Port Swettenham, Singapore, Hongkong,

Liverpool on Mar. 17 for Hongkong.

Shanghai, Taku and Dalay and is due

The B. F. s.s. "Glaucus" left Liver-

pool on Mar. 24 for Penang, Port Swet-

ten) am, Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai and is due here on Apr. 28.

The P. M. n.c. "President Pierce"

pool left Singapore on Apr. B for this

port and is due bere on Apr. 13

on Apr. 14 at about a.m.

due here on or about Apr. 14.

here on or about Apr. 21.

a long distance away.

Kowloon Wharf.

Bost in on Apr. 8.

born to-morrow.

The North China Star states that

TIENTSIN, April 9.

Peking, April 10.

icence, insurance, etc.

BARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) RUHR EVENTS.

out of a for home Bentin, April 9th. It is reliably reported that Huga Stinnes and his wife were taken out of a train by the French at Scharnhorst station, in the occupied territory, and conveyed to an unknown destination.

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

LONDON, April 9th. House of Commons, the Rt. Baldwin announced that the Economic Conferences would open on October 1st.

It was anticipated that all Dominions and India would be represented at the economic conference, and the Dominions except New Zealand at the Imperial conference. It is not expected that the Prime-Minister of New Zealand will be able to attend, but the speaker said that he hoped all the other Prime Ministers would be present.

Among the questions to be considered was that of Imperial defence, which would certainly be considered at the latter conforence.

BRITISH OFFICERS MURDERED IN NORTH INDIA.

- SIMLA, April 9th. appears that Majors Orr and Anderson were walking four miles from Landikotal on Sunday ovening. shooting occurred at Hydrikandal, but the identity of the culprits is not known. Friendly tribesman brought in the dead

GERMANY AND RUSSIA.

BERLIN, April 9th. Prosident Ebert has received M. Krestinski, who presented his credentials, as representative of the Soviet while Russia and the Transcaucasus were a Soviet Republic.

AIR FATALITIES.

LONDON, April 7th. The Air Ministry announces that two British flying officers, named respectively D. Loch and H. Stringer, were killed on Saturday while flying a Bristol fighter thirteen miles from Quetta.

THE "FRANCE" TO SAIL.

· LE HAVES, April Oth. The striking fremon on the liner France are returning to work. The vessels sails to-day.

HOME FOOTBALL.

LEAGUE (1st DIVISION).

Sheffield United ... 3 Huddersfield 2 SCOTTISH LEAGUE. Dundec 3 Falkirk 0

BRITISH LEAD IN SHIPBUILDING.

Lloyds shipbuilding returns show that 1,402,000 tons were under construction in the United Kingdom on March 31st, an increase of 23,000 tons compared with December 31st. This is the first increase since March 1921. The total for other countries was 1,367,000, or 50,000 less than on December 31st. Germany and Danzig head the foreign-countries with 5.30 a.m. left Manila on apr. 10 at 243,000, followed by France with 209,000, 6 p.m., is due at Hongkong to-morrow Italy 185,000, United States 173,000, at 7 a.m. and will berth at Pier No. 5, Holland 121,000 and Japan 83,000.

The launchings for the past quarter total: 442,000 tons, including Britain 223,000, Germany 70,000 and the United States 53,000.

HIGHER WAGES IN U.S.

Pritsburg, April 9. Among the independent mills, the Jones Laughlin Corporation, one of the largest steel companies in the country, is granting an increase of approximately eleven per cent., affecting about 16,000 empłoyésa

OPIUM SUPPRESSION IN CHINA.

London, April 9. Sir John Jordan, in a letter to The Times on the subject of the Chinese drug traffic says, he cannot endorse the statement that the Chinese interest in the suppression campaign of 1907-17 was due to a desire to stop foreign importation, as he is convinced that the movement was aimed throughout at the suppression of native cultivation, no less than the stoppage of foreign importation, Nevertheless, the prohibition and state regulation of opium are both ineffective under the present conditions in China, and the only effective remedy lies in the elimination of militarism, which is responsible for the revival of opium cultivation. The Chinese Chamber, of Commerce have already started a movement for the removal of this incubus, which is pressing heavily on the whole economic life of the country, and have solicited the cooperation of their foreign friends in the attainment of a programme. English and American public opinion count for much in China, and the fact that interest is being aroused in Great Britain should prove a powerful stimulus to the representatives of the commercial classes in China, who have initiated the movement.

Take Care of Yourself.

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vesterday. The Chairman of the SUBSIDIARY COINS. Chinese General Chamber of Com-Hongkong 60 cente sub. ... merce reported that the exchange shops, the grain merchants, drug, paper, hat, and shoe dealers were Canton coins Bar Silver in Hongkong Ohiuese Copper Cash Chinese Copper Cents ... Rate of Native Interest ... Chinese Sub, Coin Hongkong Bab. Chin

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General Managers.

HONGKONG, APRIL 11 th. 1923,

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H.S.B.C. T.T. selling rate on London and on Shanghai Hongkong Banks	2/3↓ \$ 73↓	2/3} \$73ĝ b. 1070	
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sails for San Francisco via usual ports Doc to-day. the arrives San Francisco on Shai Docks / see /see The P. M. s.s. " President Wilson" New Engineerings T 71 0. 8 as. sailed from San Francisco on Mar. 22 H.K. Engineerings with a full complement of passengers and freight. She is due at this port on Shanghai Hongkows \$206 b. Lands, Hotels & Buildings Ap . 15 and sails for Manila on Apr. 16 arriving at that pert on Apr. 18. 6he Central Estates ... ** *** \$465 h. leaves Manila for Hongkong on Apri 21 being due here on Apr. 28, saifing home-ward for San Francisco via usual ports of call on Apr., 25. She arrives San Lank Beclamstions Francisco on May 17. West Points ... in

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O. W. JREERIES, Director

Hougkong Observatory, April 11, 1913. 1. BAROMETER, reduced to 32 degree. Fabrenheit, on the level of the sea to inches, tenths and hundredths. 2. TEMPERATURE, in the shade in de grees Fahrenheit. -

3. HUMIDITY, in percentage of saturation the humidity of air naturated ith moisture being 100. 4. DIRECTION OF WIND, to two points 5. FORCE OF WIND, -according to

Beadford Scale. 6. STATE OF WRATHER, b blue oky, detached cloud, 'd drizzling rain, g gloomy, h hail, 1 lightning, o overract p pessing showers, q squall, 'r rain, a snor a thunder v visibility w.dew, wat." 7. RAIN in fuches tenths and nun

HONGKONG REGISTER.

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The Time Rall on Kowkese Signal Hill is dropped dally at 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. except on Saturdays when it is dropped at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m., and on Sundays and Holidays when it is dropped at The Ball is hoisted half must at

65th minute and full meet at the 67th minute. Should the ball fall to drop at the correct time it will be lowered atminutes past the hour and the ordinary routine repeated at the following hour, Should the Time Ball be out of order the above routine will be carried out with the flag " Z," on the Storm Signs

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defence) asked if the gowns were

LOW/NECKS. WHAT JUDGE WOULD DO.

cut too low, the Judge observed-AMUSING CASE. Nonsenso ! They cannot be cut too A bright discussion by Judge and low for some people. I may like counsel on women's fashions on mine up here (putting his hand

the Shoreditch County under his chin), while others like Court London. them down to here (putting his hand Mmd. T. Paenson, trading as the on his waist). It is all a matter of French Blouse Company, of Am- taste. If a dress was sent to me hurst Bond, Hackney, such Maison too low, I should put a bit of fisncel. Kewe (Limited), costumiers, of round me to keep out the weather, High Street, Clapham, for £14 8s. | Later he referred to a Frenchfor a pink georgette evening dress man a description of a bathing dress

The efence was that the gowne and ends at once. were ou much too low. Mr. Robinson (for Mme. Paen- were wrong, and that is crucial. son) and the gowns were Mag. LJudgo Cluer For Clapham yar, and could not be altered. Judge Cluer Magyar | What is Claphane is returning to the good

and three gowns supplied.

old days of the time of Micowber, Robinson Goodness only and the people there are beginning. not to undress themselves so much. Judge Cluer-Maggar, is some. I still suspect that some wear lowthing in Hungary but I don't know out dressed though.

His Honour's dissertation seemed Ime. Paenson Magyar is the unanswarable Mine. Paenson gos

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